

HOUSE BILL 1701
By Langster

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 3, relative to the offense of stalking.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-315, is amended by deleting subsection (b) and substituting instead the following:

(b)(1) Stalking is a Class E felony.

(2) A second or subsequent violation involving different victims is a Class D felony.

(3) A second or subsequent violation involving the same victim is a Class C felony.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2005 the public welfare requiring it.